

Will the broadcast flag interfere with consumers ability to make copies of DTV content for their personal use, either on personal video recorders or removable media?

I can't believe that I won't be able to tape "The West Wing" and watch it at a more convenient time. Maybe that is the goal ... hmmm.

Would the broadcast flag requirement limit consumers ability to use their existing electronic equipment (equipment not built to look for the flag) or make it difficult to use older components with new equipment that is compliant with the broadcast flag standard?

Will you pass out new equipment for free?

Would a broadcast flag requirement limit the development of future equipment providing consumers with new options?

That is the reality.

What will be the cost impact, if any, that a broadcast flag requirement would have on consumer electronics equipment?

Equipment is already grossly expensive.